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# HYDROGRAM

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CHANGES

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## **NEW EDITION OF SUMMARY OF CORRECTIONS**

SUMMARY OF CORRECTIONS FOR THE EASTERN PACIFIC, ANTARCTICA, INDIAN OCEAN AND AUSTRALASIA (SUBREGIONS 16 THRU 19, 21, 22 AND 29, REGIONS 6 AND 7), VOLUME 3, 2002 EDITION, IS READY FOR ISSUE. SEE SECTIONS II AND III.

## **NIMA TRANSITIONS TO DIGITAL NAUTICAL PUBLICATIONS**

THE NATIONAL IMAGERY AND MAPPING AGENCY WILL SOON BEGIN THE CESSATION OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF HARDCOPY NAUTICAL PUBLICATIONS. BEGINNING IN OCTOBER 2002, NEW EDITIONS OF NIMA NAUTICAL PUBLICATIONS WILL BE PRODUCED IN DIGITAL FORMAT ONLY, AVAILABLE ON CD-ROM AND/OR ELECTRONIC ACCESS THROUGH THE WORLD WIDE WEB. CURRENT NAUTICAL PUBLICATION HARDCOPY EDITIONS WILL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL SUPERSEDED BY THEIR NEXT DIGITAL EDITION. HARDCOPY NIMA PRODUCTS WILL BE AVAILABLE THROUGH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE (GPO) SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS. SEE SECTION III.

## **NOAA PRINT-ON-DEMAND CHARTS**

THE NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION ALONG WITH OCEANGRAFIX, LLC HAVE COMPLETED THE PILOT PROJECT FOR UP-TO-DATE POD NAUTICAL CHARTS. SEE SECTION III.

## **NOAA CHART NEW EDITION DATING SCHEME**

THE NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION HAS REVISED THE CHART NEW EDITION DATING SCHEME. SEE SECTION III.